

Proposed Bill No. 441

January Session, 2009

LCO No. 814

Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by: SEN. BOUCHER, 26th Dist. (By Request)

AN ACT REDUCING THE MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT ON ANY HIGHWAY TO FIFTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to reduce the maximum speed
- 2 limit on any highway to fifty-five miles per hour, and that the joint
- 3 standing committee on transportation shall conduct a study the most
- 4 fuel efficient standard speed for vehicles, and submit findings and
- 5 recommendations to the General Assembly not later than February 1,
- 6 2010.

Statement of Purpose:

To save lives and conserve fuel by reducing the speed limit to fifty-five mph.